President.—I see the Hon'ble Member's point. It makes the asking of supplementary questions difficult.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Sir, may we expect the Government hereafter to answer such questions by not giving such references as is printed here.

President.—The Government will consider that in future.

Panchayat works—tender deduction—utilisation of.

21. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) what exactly is done with the tender deductions on Panchayat works each year ;

(b) whether the deductions on works of each Panchayat is utilised in the same Panchayat for other items of works not provided for in the Budget ?

Mr P. V. Raphael.—(a) and (b). Tender deductions on works are utilised for deviations in the works themselves if such deviations are necessary for the satisfactory completion of the works. They are also sometimes transferred to other urgent works of the same Panchayat or of other Panchayats according to necessity. Special care is taken, as far as possible to utilise the tender savings from works of a Panchayat for other works in the same Panchayat.

Contract of Panchayat works.

22. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Will the Government be pleased to state whether any Panchayat has been allowed by the Registrar to entrust works over Rs. 100 on contract in the course of 1109 as allowed under the rules ?

Mr. P. V. Raphael.—Yes, with the approval of the Registrar.

Road connecting the Choolisseri Village with the Avanoor Village—opening of.

23. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether representations have not been made to the Government urging the opening of a road to connect the Choolisseri village with the Avanoor village both of the Trichur Taluk ;

(b) whether anything has been done in the matter as yet ?

Mr. P. V. Raphael.—(a) Yes.

(b) Yes. Apart of the work is being attended to and steps will be taken to complete it.

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